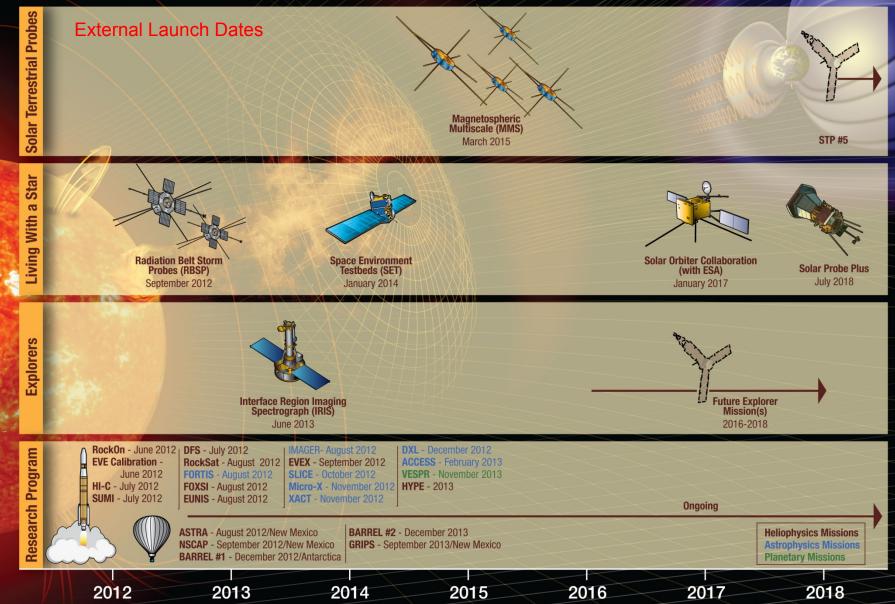


# Heliophysics

Presentation to Heliophysics Subcommittee July 2, 2012 Vicki Elsbernd

# Heliophysics Program 2012-2018



#### **Living With a Star Program**

Project		Overall previous months			This Month						
		-4	-3	-2	-1	0	С	S	Т	Р	NASA
OVERALL		G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	VASP
RBSP Aug 23 LR	D	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	Shipped to KSC May 1. Undergoing final launch preparations.
SOC	2017	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	JPIP signed; back-up launch periods being analyzed
SET-1	2014	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	Workmanship TVAC completed; in storage until December
BARREL	2012	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	On track to deliver 25 payloads for Dec 2012 campaign
SPP	2018	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	Phase B subcontracts being finalized.

• **RBSP** – At Astrotech. All flight hardware is now on the observatories. Mission Readiness Review scheduled for July 20; Mission Readiness Briefing July 31





**RBSP Spacecraft During Final Magnetic Swing Tests** 

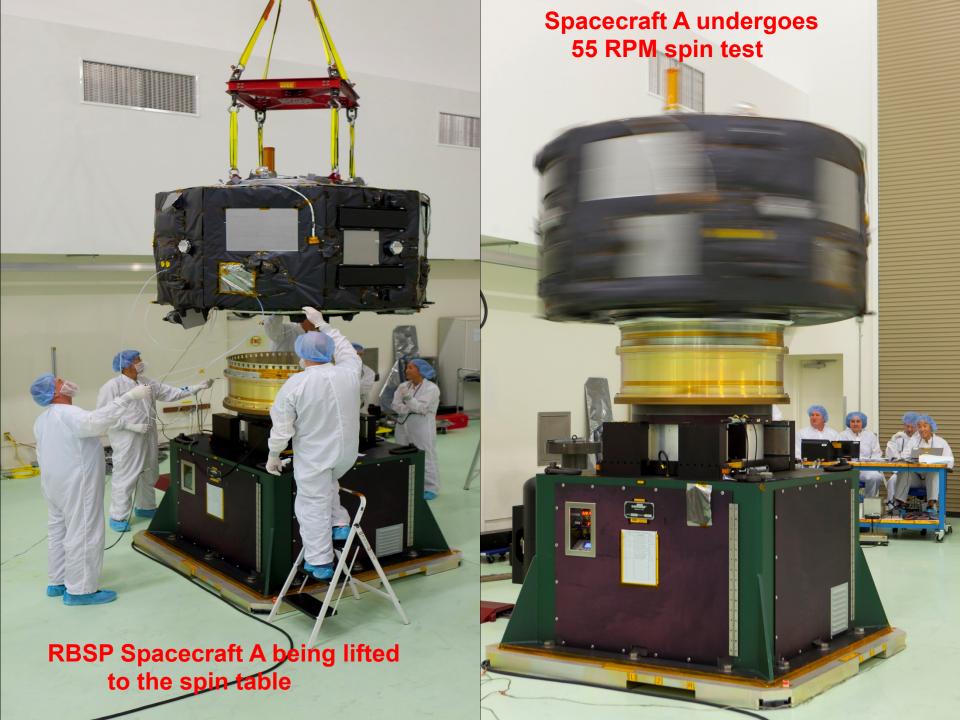






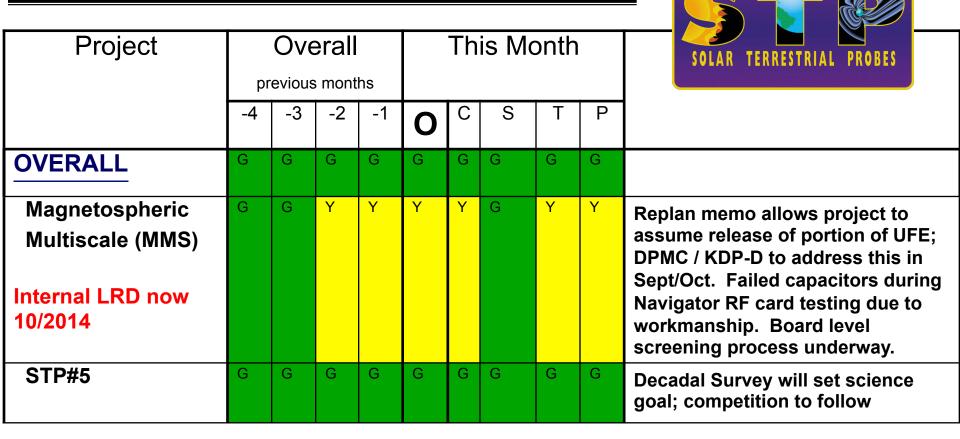
**RBSP Solar Arrays Undergo White Light & Black Light Cleaning** 







#### **Solar Terrestrial Probes Program**



- HQ authorized replan resulting from conflicts with JWST for GSFC Thermal Vac chamber. MMS has baselined Thermal Vac testing at NRL.
- Mission System Integration Review (SIR) planned for the week of August 27, 2012
- Observatory #1 System I&T starts in September 2012



On plan, adequate Margin\*\*



Problems, working to resolve within planned Margin\*\*



Problems, not enough margin to recover\*\*



# MMS Significant Accomplishments

- Over the last several months, significant progress has been made leading to the SIR in August
- Integration of the 1st Spacecraft Bus and 1st Instrument Suite is ongoing and good progress continues in all areas.
  - Flight units for Observatories 1 thru 4
     proceeding thru various stages of
     assembly and acceptance testing with
     Observatory #1 subsystems and
     instruments now arriving to I&T regularly
- Recent Highlights:
  - 1st run Functional Test of Spacecraft #1 completed
  - Propulsion Module FM#1 completed proof pressure testing and is now in MMS cleanroom being prepared for installation on Spacecraft #1
  - FPI DIS FM#1 calibrated and delivered to GSFC



SC#1 at GSFC MMS



IS#1 at GSFC SCA



PropFM#2 at GSFC B11



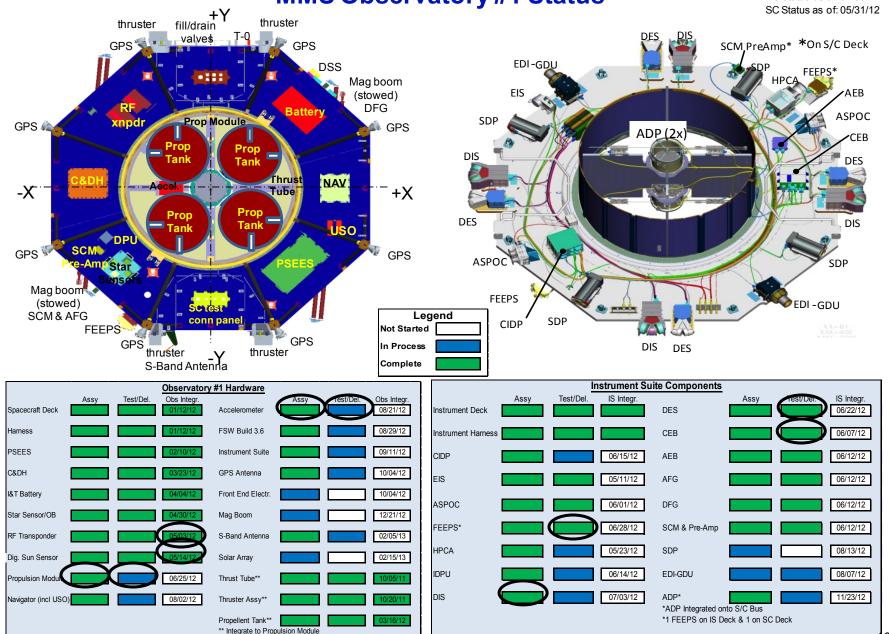
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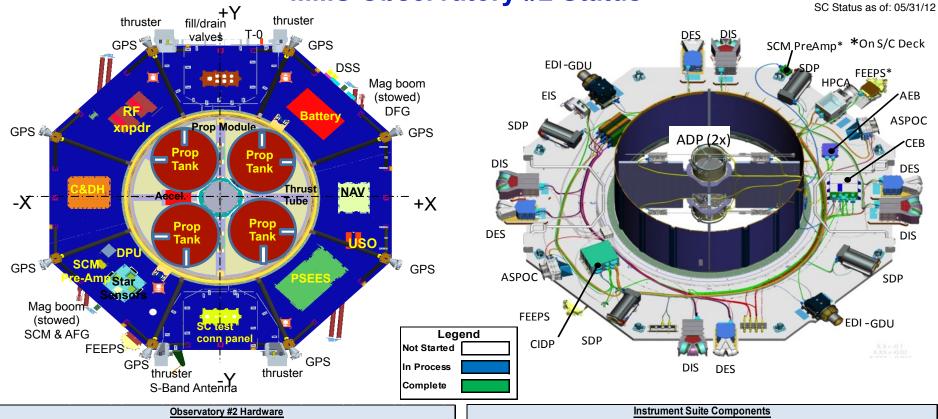
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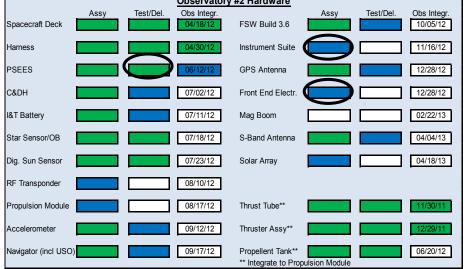
#### MMS Observatory #1 Status

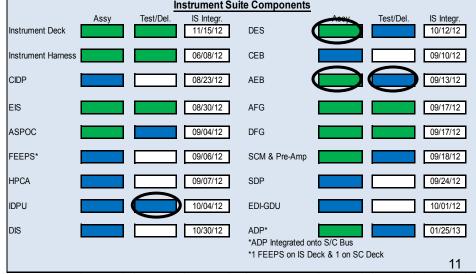
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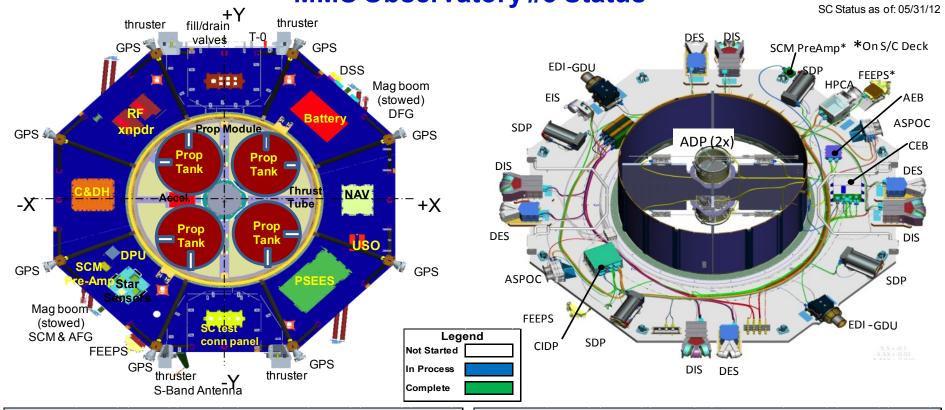
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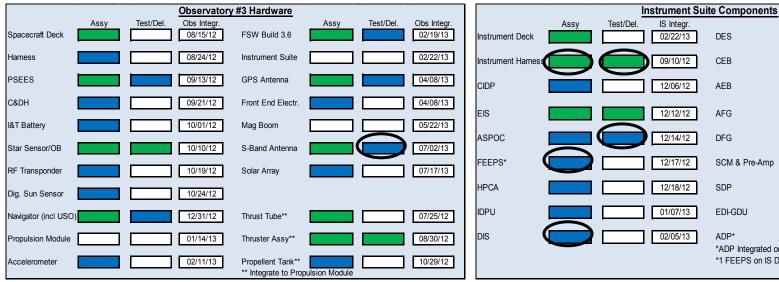
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SCM & Pre-Amp

\*ADP Integrated onto S/C Bus

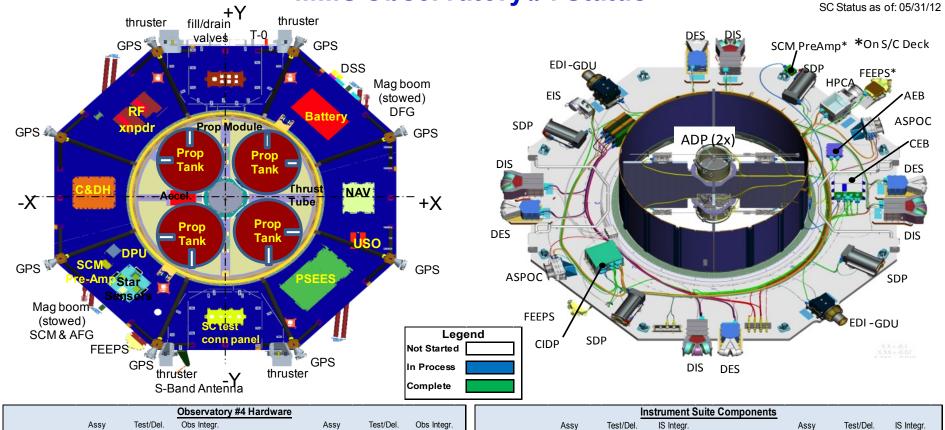
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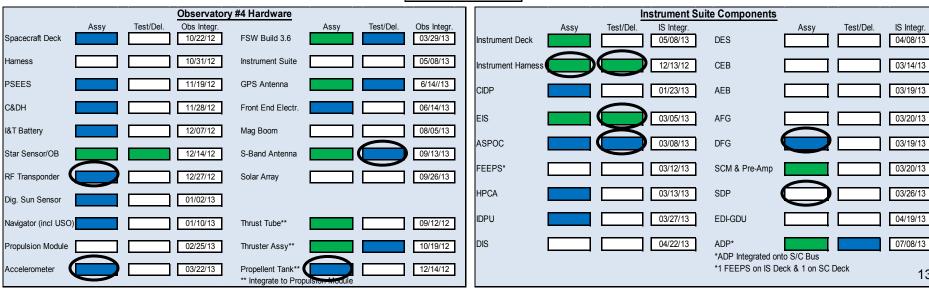




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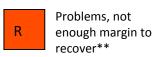




#### **Heliophysics Explorer Program**

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IRIS LRD 1/22/13	Y	Y	R	R	G	G	Y	G	G	KDP-D completed. Additional \$13.1M UFE approved to Project.
EX/MO - next	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	CSRs due September 2012 / Review planning underway for downselect in Spring 2013.

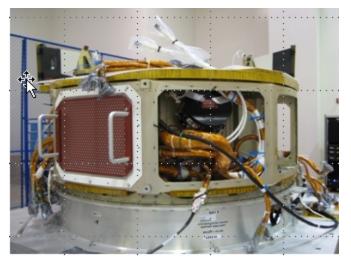
- Interface Region Imaging Spectrograph (IRIS)
- SIR/PER successfully completed on June 5. Very positive report from the SRB.
- KDP-D held June 27. Cost and schedule reserves restored.
- IRIS launch readiness date moved from December 1, 2012 to January 22, 2013.
- COMM System from SpaceMicro Status: All S-Band flight boards have been received. Planned delivery of the flight model is acceptable, but is very tight. Could still impact LRD.



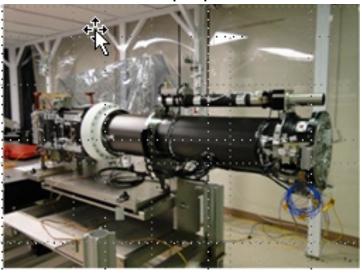


### **IRIS Significant Progress**

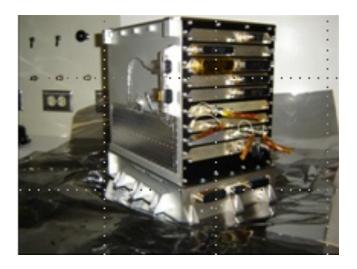
#### S/C Bus now in bake out.



#### Instrument In prep for ThVac



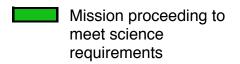
- Instrument completed a very successful CPT#1. Now in Thermal Vac.
- All parts in house for construction of "S" Band flight unit.
- Build of COMM "X" Band completed.

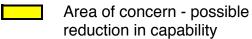


Instrument
Electronics
Box prepped
for ThVac

## **Operating Missions**

Mission	Launch	Phase	Extension to (*)	M-3	- M-2	M-1	Cur. M.	Remarks
Geotail	7/24/92	Extended	9/30/2014					
Artemis (Helio)	7/15/10	Extended	9/30/2014 (+)					
STEREO	10/25/06	Extended	9/30/2014					
THEMIS	2/17/07	Extended	9/30/2014					
AIM	4/25/07	Extended	9/30/2014					Achieved bitlock 5/23 after 172 days(!)
Hinode	9/23/06	Extended	9/30/2014					
Cluster	7/16/00	Extended	9/30/2014 (+)					
ACE	8/27/97	Extended	9/30/2014					
RHESSI	2/05/02	Extended	9/30/2014					
SOHO	12/02/95	Extended	9/30/2014					
TIMED	12/07/01	Extended	9/30/2014					
Voyager 1 + 2	8/20/77	Extended	9/30/2014					
TWINS A + B	6/06 & 3/08	Extended	9/30/2014					
CINDI:C/NOFS	4/16/08	Extended	9/30/2014					
IBEX	10/19/08	Extended	9/30/2014					Lo in safe mode. Root cause analysis ongoing.
Wind	11/01/94	Extended	9/30/2014					
SDO	2/11/10	Prime	2/11/15					







### **SAMPEX Re-entry**

- The Solar, Anomalous, and Magnetospheric Particle Explorer (SAMPEX) is the first Small Explorer (SMEX) mission and was designed to study the energy, composition, and charge state of four classes of charged particles that originate beyond the Earth and that, ultimately, populate our Earth's radiation belts.
- The extended science mission was officially terminated in May, 2004, but SAMPEX operations have nominally continued for educational and outreach purposes. It is currently operated as an E/PO effort at Bowie State.



- It is non-maneuverable; the mean nominal predicted re-entry date of mid-October 2012. SAMPEX will be operated until atmosphere-induced tumbling prevents data collection. The prediction is that the spacecraft will totally demise upon re-entry with negligible/zero public risk.
- Operational milestones from launch:
  - July 3,1992 Launched from Vandenberg Air Force Base on a Scout G-1 rocket
  - July 1992 to October 1997 Primary Mission Science Operations at NASA/GSFC
  - October 1997 to Present Extended Mission Science Operations at Bowie State University
  - May 2004 Mission termination
  - October 12, 2012 Baseline Predicted Re-entry Date